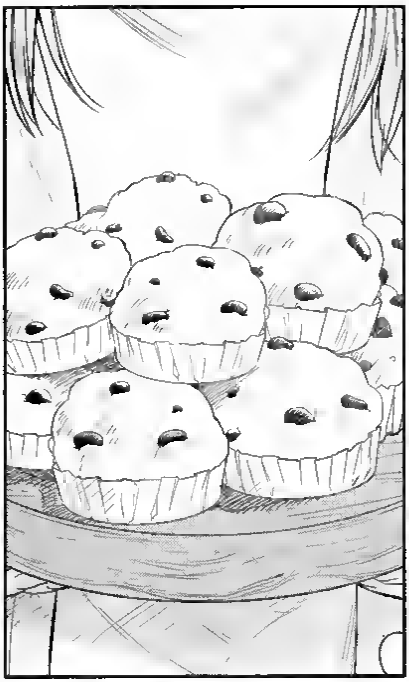
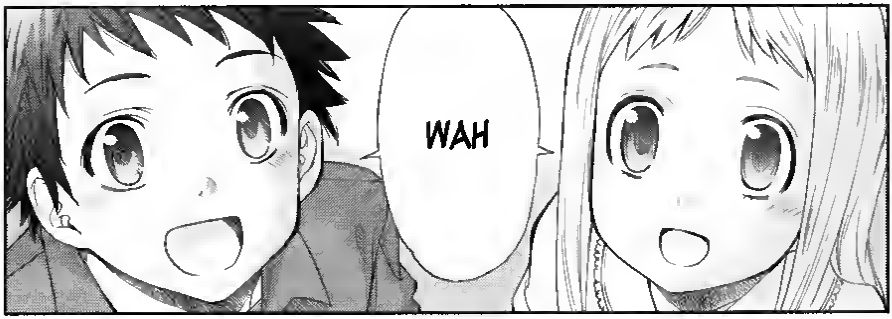
I'M HUNGRY~
HURRY UP!
第3話

MOM!
ARE THERE ANYMORE?

EXCUSE US
I'M BACK!
POPPO
DON'T PUSH ME!



THERE ARE!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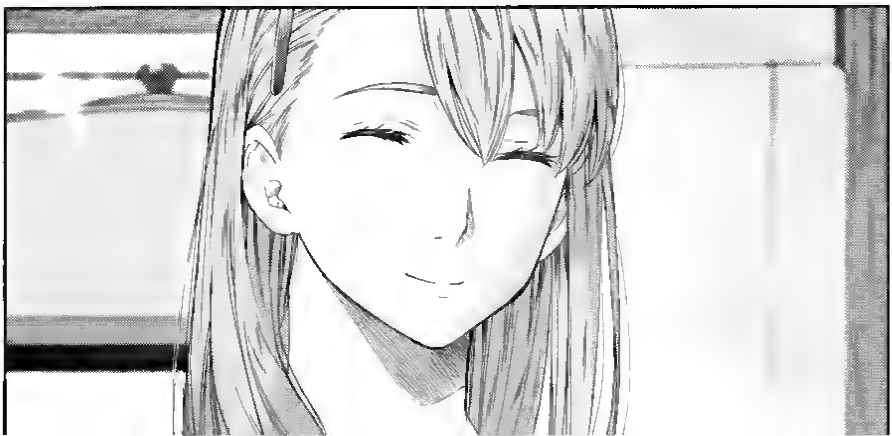
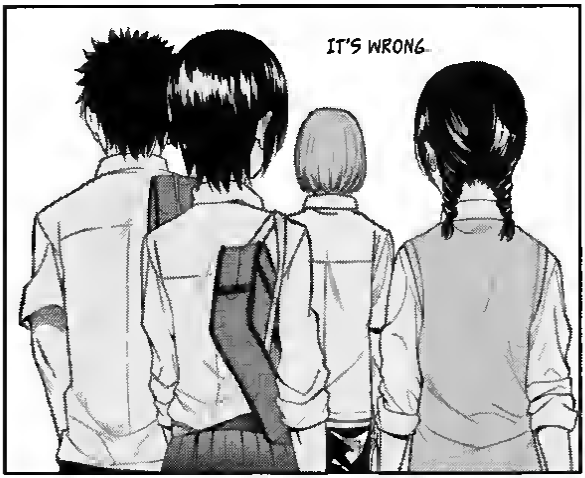


NO... THAT'S NOT IT...
OR WAS IT BECAUSE OF MOM.
WAS IT BECAUSE I FAILED THE EXAMS...?
BECAUSE OF MENMA'S SUDDEN DEATH...?


IT'S WRONG.

IT'S NOT LIKE THAT.

DISGU STING...

IT'S SO HOT...

WHY DID THINGS TURN OUT LIKE THIS?
THE THOUGHT OF IT...

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JINTA
ARE YOU GOING TO SCHOOL TODAY?
スー
コンコン
NO
...
FORGET IT.
IT'S BETTER LIKE THIS.
WHY AREN'T YOU TELLING ME OFF...
DAD
IS THAT SO?
THEN I'LL BE GOING OFF TO WORK!
OI A-I
LA LA LA

JINTAN YOU CAN'T!
WAH

BUT
IF YOU WERE STRICTER TOWARDS ME

YOU CAN'T SKIP SCHOOL!
AND
YOU HAVE TO THANK ANAKU!

YOU CAN'T BREAK YOUR PROMISE!
SHE EVEN HELPED YOU TO LOOK FOR THE NOKEMON!
AH
THAT'S RIGHT

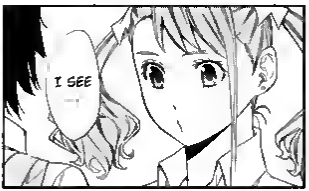
H-HEY YOU...
YOU HEARD THAT...?

GETTING JINTAN TO GO TO SCHOOL OR SOMETHING LIKE THAT-!
YOU'LL NEVER KNOW IF THIS COULD JUST BE MY WISH!
CRAP
ON SEC-OND THOU-GHT
.....

AH...

YOU CAME TO SCHOOL
AH...

OH ANARU


I SEE

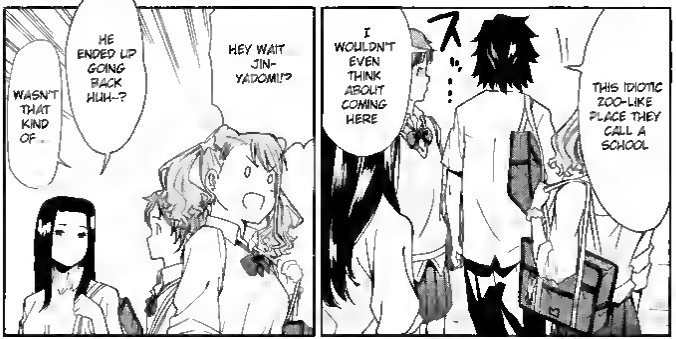
I SEE ...!
.....

I-I DIDN'T COME JUST BECAUSE YOU ASKED ME TO.

ISN'T THAT YADOMI?
WOAH~
HARUNA
AKI
WOW, YOU FINALLY CAME TO SCHOOL HUH!
MORNING NARUKO
AND YADOMI
.....
DON'T WORRY NOBODY KNOWS YOU SINCE YOU SKIPPED AN ENTIRE SEMESTER
I DON'T THINK ANYONE CARES ABOUT YOU ANYWAY RIGHT?
THAT'S MEAN, HARUNA~

T-THAT'S ENOUGH!
HEY...
THE POWER OF LOVE IS REALLY SOMETHING, ISN'T IT?
HARH
WAIT...
ISN'T IT BECAUSE YOU WENT TO HIS HOUSE?
IT'S LOVE! THEIR BURNING LOVE~
AH...
SHUT U-! WHO'D WANT A GUY LIKE HIM!
BURNING HUH...

I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT.
IF IT WASN'T FOR THE HEAT GETTING TO MY HEAD


THIS IDIOTIC ZOO-LIKE PLACE THEY CALL A SCHOOL
I WOULDN'T EVEN THINK ABOUT COMING HERE
HEY WAIT JIN-YADOMI!?
HE ENDED UP GOING BACK HUH--?
WASN'T THAT KIND OF..

HEY, WAS HE TRYING TO BE BRAVE--?
IT LOOKS LIKE IT--!?
キャハハ...

SHOULD I EXPLORE JINTAN'S PLACE?
BEING HOME ALONE...
IS SO BORING!
WHAT'S IN THIS ROOM...
AH...

JUST NOW..
WHAT WAS I THINKING..!
SIGH..

I CAN'T..

IT WAS BECAUSE OF MENMA.. MY HALLUCINATION TOLD ME TO GO TO SCHOOL...
IT HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH MY PROMISE TO ANJO

GO BACK HOME
NOW
WHAT SHOULD I DO
SIGH~
シャリ…
VENTRAL SPACE PEOPLE
(HE'S CALLING ALIENS)

VEN TRAL...
STA GE TWO PLE...
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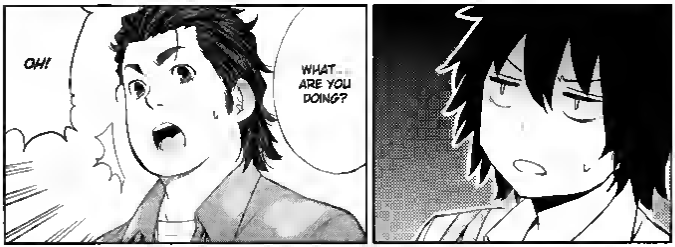
VEN TRAL...


OH!
WHAT... ARE YOU DOING?

I SAW IT TOO!
PART NER...?
PARTNER!
YOU SEE?
WHAT DID...

I SAW MENMA!
DO I STILL NEED TO SAY?
HOW .. ISN'T SHE JUST MY HALLUCINATION..
IT'S TRUE! I WAS SHOCKED TOO
THIS IS PROBABLY WHAT YOU CALL A MIRACULOUS WONDER!
IT WAS MY PISS THAT CREATED A MIRACLE!
THE TIMING WAS JUST GREAT!
AND MY PISS WAS SHAPED LIKE THIS!
ジューン

OF COURSE NOT! MY VISION IS OF OUSMANE LEVEL!

ABOUT THAT... ARE YOU SURE YOU DIDN'T SEE IT WRONG?

SHE'S BECOME A REALLY FAIR AND GRACE-FUL LADY
G-GROWN!?
MENMA HAS REALLY GROWN A LOT

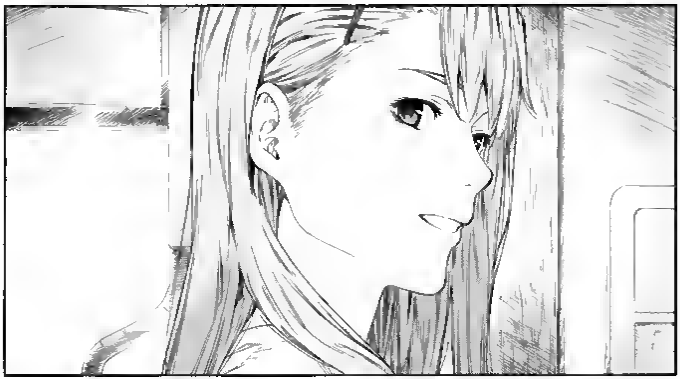
HM?
A WHITE DRESS THAT SHE ALWAYS WEARS DURING SUMMER?
WHAT WAS SHE WEARING!?

MENMA CAME BACK BECAUSE SHE HAS A WISH TO FULFILL ISN'T IT?
THEN I'LL USE MY SPECIAL SKILL TO PROPERLY PONDER OVER THIS!
ﾅｶﾞﾖｯ

HUH?
SORRY! I'LL GET GOING FIRST!
AH! CURRY!?
A CURRY THAT TAKES 8 HOURS TO COOK!?
DINNER? IT'S ONLY THE AFTERNOON NOW
IT'S MY TURN TO MAKE DINNER TONIGHT
HEY, JINTAN!
I WANT TO EAT TOO!
WHERE DID HE GO?
I WANT...

A GROWN UP MENMA...
I-I'M BACK...!
NOT THIS "YOU"...
WELCOME BACK!
AH.
THAT IS...
AH!?
JINTAN, YOU'RE BACK SO EARLY!
AH, COME OVER HERE FOR A WHILE!
?
TODAY'S ONLY THE SCHOOL OPENING CEREMONY...
SO IT ENDED EARLY
.....

WHAT-
WHAT HAPPEN.....
I WAS TRYING TO BAKE SOMETHING!
THIS LOOKS REALLY AWFUL.
AH THIS...
YOU REALLY MADE A MESS..
THIS IS...



UH...
TRY IT! TRY IT!
JINTAN ...?
JINTAN!

BITES!
LET'S EAT!
HMM
モグモグ
IS IT BECAUSE I DIDN'T ADD IN ANY RAISINS...
THE ONES YOUR MOM MADE TASTED BETTER
IT'S NOT THAT YOU CAN'T...
CAN'T I-?
WHAT...
DO YOU INTEND TO STAY HERE FOR A LONG TIME?
I NEED TO PRACTICE MORE AND MAKE THEM TASTE EVEN BETTER!

あ!
DID YOU GO OVER TO POPPO'S PLACE!?
EH-
I DON'T KNOW WHERE HE STAYS
WASN'T I ALWAYS AT YOUR HOUSE?
AH!
BUT HE SAID THAT HE SAW YOU OR SOMETHING LIKE THAT...
COULD THAT BE MENMA'S GHOST!?
THEN WHAT ARE YOU!
HONMA MEIKO!
I JUST CAN'T COMMUNICATE WITH YOU...
.....
GHOST...
MAYBE EVERYONE CAN SEE YOU TOO IF THEY EAT THIS
DO YOU WANT TO TRY MAKING THIS IN FRONT OF THEM?

……?
I'M PLAYING HIDE-AND-SEEK WITH EVERY-ONE…
HIDE-AND-SEEK?

I WENT BACK HOME FOR A WHILE...
I SAW MAMA... IN FRONT OF MY ALTAR
OFFERING CURRY
OH...
MAMA THOUGHT I WAS DAZED
AND THAT I MIGHT PROBABLY RETURN HOME
IF IT'S LIKE THAT
PAPA AND MY BROTHER WILL DEFI-NITELY FEEL SAD...
MAYBE IF I
REALLY DID DIE
AND PROPERLY STAYED IN HEAVEN, THEN IT WOULD BE GOOD FOR EVERYONE..
THAT'S RIGHT..
SHE HAD ALWAYS BEEN LIKE THAT..

BECAUSE EVERYONE ELSE CAN'T SEE ME
HER SILLY WAY OF TALKING...
AND HER IRRELE-VANT WAY OF DOING THINGS...
THAT'S WHY I SHOULD HIDE AND NOT LET THEM FIND ME...
IT'S BETTER LIKE THIS
BUT BEHIND ALL OF THESE QUIRKS
SHE WAS ALWAYS THINKING ABOUT THE PEOPLE AROUND HER...

EVEN IF
I'M NOT AROUND ANYMORE
EVERYONE STILL GETS ALONG REALLY WELL

JUST ABOUT THIS IS ENOUGH. LET'S EAT! LET'S EAT!
HEHEHE
munch
.....

HAVE YOU DECIDED ON WHAT TO BUY?
THERE ARE EGG-SHELLS INSIDE...
IS THAT... FOR CALCIUM?

SORRY LET ME THINK ABOUT IT A LITTLE MORE
I STILL HAVE THINGS TO DO LATER.

HM
CLICKS
Beep beep beep
HISAK AWA ...
HISAK-AWA... YOU MEAN YOPPO?
YOU'RE STILL IN TOUCH WITH HIM?
JUST RECENT-LY...
WHAT IS IT?
... WHAT'S THIS?
(non title)
END
MENMA...?
FOUND...

WELCOME
ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A GIFT?
YES
ARE YOU HIS GIRLFRIEND? I'M SO ENVIOUS.
WHO EXACTLY ARE YOU GIFTING IT TO?
AH... PLEASE TAKE YOUR TIME...
AND TO THINK, I ALWAYS ACCOMPANY YOU TO SUCH PLACES
I'M NOT TELLING...

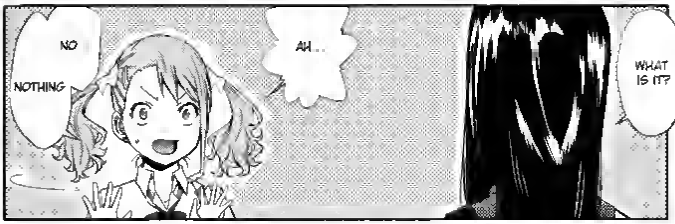
SEE YOU TOMOR-ROW...
BYE NARUKO
BYE BYE
IS THIS WHAT YOU CALL A HIGH-SCHOOL DEBUT?
SIGH...

TSU..!
TSU
TSU
TSURUMI
JUST CALL ME TSURUKO LIKE IN THE OLD DAYS

IN THE PAST YOU WERE EASILY INFLUENCED BY MANGA AND VIDEO GAMES
ARE YOU INFLUENCED BY THOSE TWO NOW?
HUMPH
IT'S BEEN SO LONG SINCE WE MET AND YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT ME LIKE THAT?
ARE YOU LOOKING DOWN ON ME BECAUSE I HANG OUT WITH PEOPLE FROM MIDO HIGH?
YOU THINK TOO MUCH

HEY
POPPO... HISAKAWA SAID HE SAW MENMA
DO YOU KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT IT?
MENMA!?
LIKE...
SEEING MENMA'S GHOST AT THE SECRET BASE FOREST
WHAT'S THAT ALL ABOUT...
I DON'T GO TO THE SECRET BASE ANY-MORE.
ISN'T HE JUST FASCINATED BY SOME NATURAL PHENOMENA?
LIKE THE DEATH OF A FRIEND OR SOME-THING
WHAT A WEIRD HOBBY
YADOMI MENTIONED SOMETHING ABOUT MENMA TOO
HE'S BEEN MENTIONING HER A LOT RECENTLY.

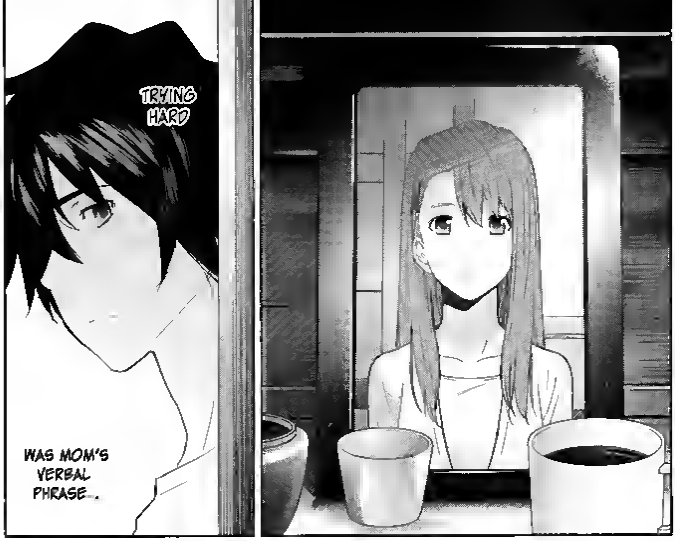
THIS IS MENMA'S WISH
WISH...
YADOMI ...!?
WHAT...!? DON'T TELL ME THAT IT'S REALLY TRUE...!?

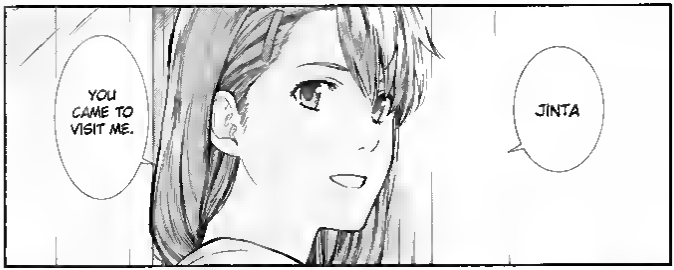

AH..
NO NOTHING
WHAT IS IT?

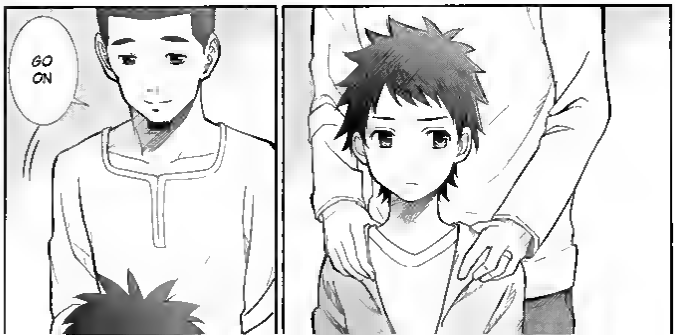
PROBABLY I THINK WE MIGHT ALL GATHER TOGETHER AGAIN SOMEDAY
AT "THAT PLACE"
I JUST HAD A FEELING
HAHA!? THERE'S A NEXT TIME?
FORGET IT THEN SEE YOU NEXT TIME

IT'S ABOUT TIME
FROM THE PAST...
ABOUT HONMA MEIKO
IT'S ABOUT TIME I STOP TRYING TO AVOID IT...
MENMA...

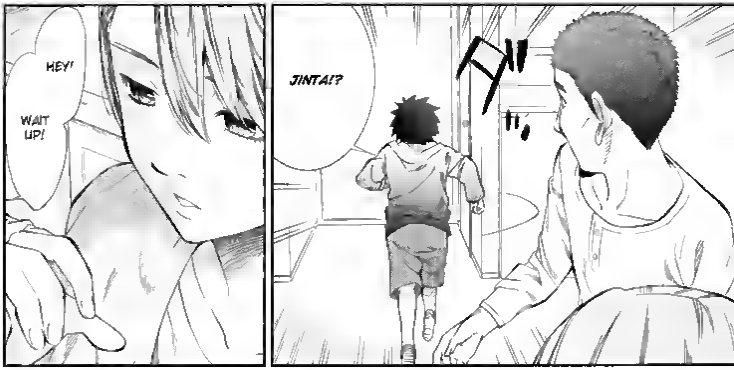
IT'S YOUR TURN TO BATHE, JINTA
OKAY
バタン
コト…
I'M REALLY TRYING HARD AT WORK NOW...
TOUKO
I'M TRYING HARD TODAY TOO...

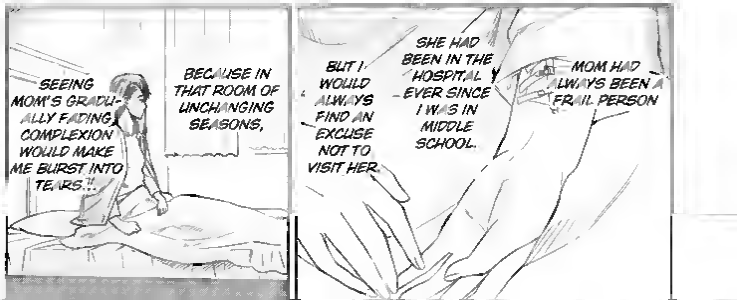

TRYING HARD
WAS MOM'S VERBAL PHRASE...


YOU CAME TO VISIT ME.
JINTA


GO ON

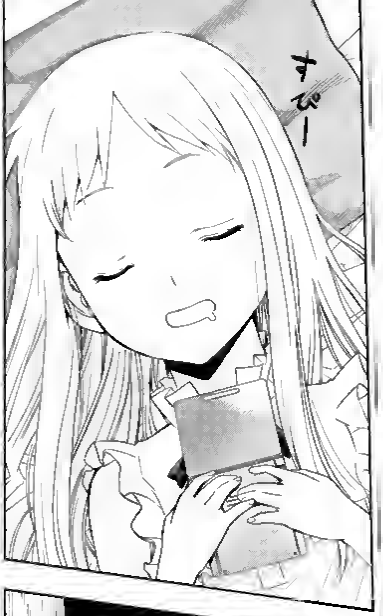
I'M SORRY...
MOM...
HM?
EVERYONE WANTS TO EAT YOUR MUFFINS...


HEY!
WAIT UP!
JINTA!?


SEEING MOM'S GRADUALLY FADING COMPLEXION WOULD MAKE ME BURST INTO TEARS.!!
BECAUSE IN THAT ROOM OF UNCHANGING SEASONS,
BUT I WOULD ALWAYS FIND AN EXCUSE NOT TO VISIT HER.
SHE HAD BEEN IN THE HOSPITAL EVER SINCE I WAS IN MIDDLE SCHOOL.
MOM HAD ALWAYS BEEN A FRAIL PERSON

JINTA
YOU TRIED HARD
PAT
PAT
YOU REALLY TRIED HARD
REALLY TRIED HARD
PAT
REALLY TRIED HARD
PAT

KEPT REPEATING OVER AND OVER
THESE WORDS OF LONGING...
I WANTED TO SEE MENMA

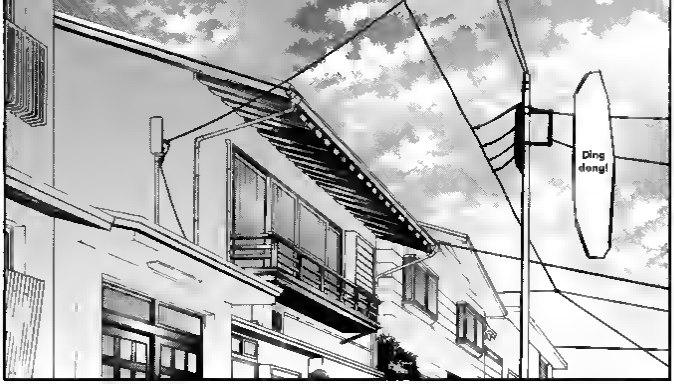


BUT

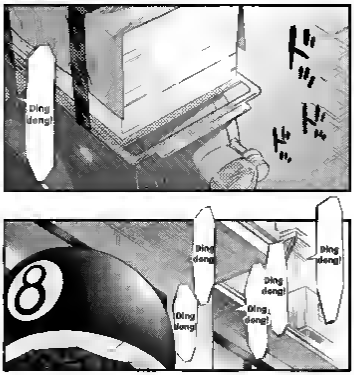
EVEN SO

I BORE MY TEARS
UNTIL THE END.

YOUR WISH...
WHAT EXACTLY IS IT, MENMA...


Ding dong!

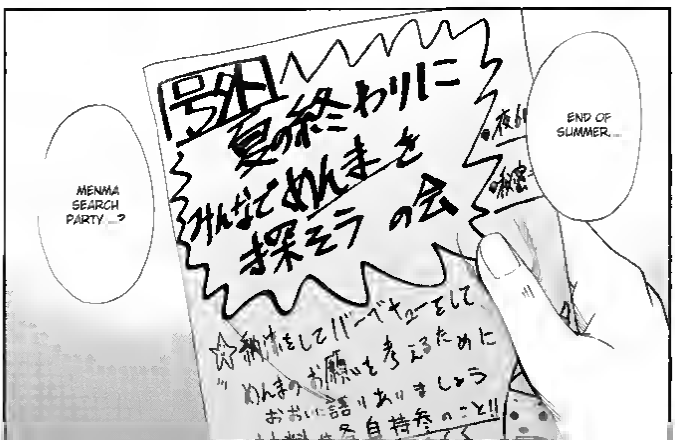
THAT'S ENOUGH! IT'S TOO NOISY!!


Ding dong!
Ding dong!
Ding dong!
Ding dong!
Ding dong!
Ding dong!

NO, THAT'S NOT IT.
WE DON'T HAVE A SUBSCRIPTION...
HERE'S YOUR MORNING PAPER!

HERE!
HUH...
WHAT?
ピラ

WHAT IS THIS.


END OF SUMMER...
MENMA SEARCH PARTY...?
夏の終わりに
みんなでめんまを探そう の会
☆納得もしてバーベキューをして
めんまのお願いを考えるために
おおいに語りあいましょう
各自持参のこと!!

あの日見た
花の名前を
僕達はまだ
知らない。